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RE: Better Kids' TV

Dear Mr. Hundt:

**I am writing to urge you to consider voting for more educational children's' programming from our broadcasters.**

I am a stay at home mother and I am disturbed that none of the major networks have any children's programming at all during the day. With exception to PBS and Nickelodeon (cable), all that I see on the major networks is Soap's, and talk TV with subjects ranging from 'Girls in Gangs', to 'My Father Raped Me', episodes and it gets worse, (these people are almost glorified not to mention exploited by the networks).

Why can't someone with some intelligence come up with some sort of educational programming for our kids when they are home during the day.

The only station my young children can watch now is PBS, and some shows on Nickelodeon. Granted that is enough TV for them, I am concerned that children who don't have access to cable and are limited to PBS are being cheated.

**Please urge the broadcasters to think of our children and what they are exposed to during the day. Put more educational programming on during the after school hours and move those trashy, over-rated talk shows to the late evening where they and their subjects should be.**

Best Regards,

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Dear Mr. Hundt:

I am a forty-four year old professional woman who is a mother of two: a five year old boy and a seven year old year. I am appalled at some of the programming aimed at my children.

My daughter sees nothing but pink, fluffy junk aimed at her and other young girls. My son sees violent, emotionless male stickfigures aimed at him and other young boys. These are the stereotypes still being mandated by the advertising industry. Most public television is very good and my children enjoy it.

Please help this country's youth by continuing to provide quality shows for all ages and both sexes. There is very little selection for young girls that I can see presently.

Thank you.



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My Vote is for as much children's programming as possible - there's enough violence in this world not that TV is causing it, but it's not out of mind!!

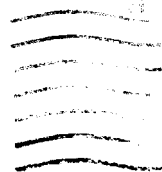
## How You Can Help

■ **Write the new chairman of the FCC for better kids' TV.** The FCC is deciding this spring just how much educational programming The Children's Television Act calls for from stations. "Broadcasters want to provide a half-hour a week; children's advocates are asking for one hour a day," says Charren. Send in *your* vote to Reed E. Hundt, Chairman, FCC, 1919 M St., NW, Washington, DC 20554.

■ **Voice your concerns to network heads.** The Television Program Improvement Act of 1990 encourages networks to develop voluntary standards regarding violent programming, but their promise to air "violence advisory"

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